

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 THESSA 00604 271137Z

44

ACTION NEA-12

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 CIAE-00 COME-00 EB-11 INR-10 LAB-06

NSAE-00 RSC-01 SIL-01 AGR-20 STR-08 OMB-01 TRSE-00

PA-03 PRS-01 USIA-15 DRC-01 /091 W

----- 076796

R 271005Z SEPT 73

FM AMCONSUL THESSALONIKI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1655

INFO AMEMBASSY ATHENS

UNCLAS THESSALONIKI 0604

E.O.11652:N/A

TAGS: ELAB, EAGR, GR

SUBJECT: PROTEST MEETING ON AGRICULTURAL PRICES

REF: THESSALONIKI 0602

1. BOTH THESSALONIKI MORNING PAPERS OF SEPTEMBER 27 FRONTPAGE REPORT AND PHOTOGRAPHS OF FIVE-HOUR MEETING AT LARISSA PREVIOUS DAY BY NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL CO-OPERATIVES . MEETING SPONSORED BY PASEGES NATIONAL FEDERATION, RESULTED IN LENGTHY COMMUNIQUE EMPHASIZING NEED FOR URGENT GOVERNMENT ACTION ON FOUR DEMANDS CITED IN REFTEL AND FORMULATING MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE PRICES IN EACH AREA. ACCORDING TO "MAKEDONIA" ACCOUNT, PROCEEDINGS WERE CHARACTERIZED BY "WIDESPREAD BITTERNESS" OVER RECENT GOVERNMENT DECISION ON "EXTREMELY LOW" AGRICULTURAL AND LIVESTOCK PRICES.

2. ACCOMPANYING FRONTPAGE ADETORIAL IN "ELLINIKOS VORRAS" BY CHIEF EDITOR KYROU CONTINUES SERIES OF RECENT ATTACKS ON GOVERNMENT AGRICULTURAL POLICY, WITH PARTICULAR AMPHASIS ON WHEAT PRICES. KYROU MAINTAINS, AS IN PREVIOUS ARTICLES, THAT CURRENT AGRICULTURAL PRICES ARE THOSE OF TWELVE YEARS AGO AND TOTALLY OUT OF LINE WITH PRICES OF MANUFACTURED GOODS.

UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 THESSA 00604 271137Z

BRENNAN

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

*** Current Handling Restrictions *** n/a

*** Current Classification *** UNCLASSIFIED

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: AGRICULTURAL COOPERATIVES, AGRICULTURAL ORGANIZATIONS, AGRICULTURAL PRICES, MEETINGS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 27 SEP 1973
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1973THESSA00604
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: n/a
Errors: n/a
Film Number: n/a
From: THESSALONIKI
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1973/newtext/t19730961/aaaajzsy.tel
Line Count: 66
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: ACTION NEA
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: THESSALONIKI 0602
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: willialc
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 27 AUG 2001
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <27-Aug-2001 by reddocgw>; APPROVED <28-Jan-2002 by willialc>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: <DBA CORRECTED> mcm 980313
Subject: PROTEST MEETING ON AGRICULTURAL PRICES
TAGS: EAGR, ELAB, GR
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005